



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Application of: ) Group Art Unit: 182  
EDWARD A. BOYSE et al. )  
Application No.: 07/119,746 )  
Filed: November 12, 1987 )  
For: ISOLATION AND PRESERVATION )  
OF FETAL AND NEONATAL )  
HEMATOPOIETIC STEM AND )  
PROGENITOR CELLS OF THE )  
BLOOD )  
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.115

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

S I R:

In response to the Office Action dated February 15, 1990 and in accordance with Rule 115 of the Rules of Practice, please consider the following amendments and remarks. Pursuant to a teleconference between Examiner Rosen and Attorneys for Applicants held on February 27, 1989, Applicants make the following amendments to the claims.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

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1 (twice amended). A composition comprising:  
(a) a plurality of viable human neonatal or fetal hematopoietic stem [cell] cells derived from the blood; and  
(b) cryopreservative.

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